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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1894.

Democratic Ticket.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.
We are authorized to announce

E. T. WILLIAMS

As the Democratic nominee for County Judge of Ohio county. Election, November 6, 1894.

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JOHN M. LEACH

As the Democratic nominee for the office of Assessor of Ohio county. Election, November 6, 1894.

Republican Ticket.



Election, Nov. 6.

For Congress—John W. Lewis, of Washington county.

For Appellate Judge—B. L. D. Guffy, of Washington county.

For Sheriff—John P. Norton, of Washington county.

For County Clerk—D. M. Hocker, of Washington county.

For County Attorney—E. P. Neal, of Washington county.

For Assessor—N. C. Daniel, of Washington county.

For Jailor—John W. Black, of Washington county.

For Surveyor—G. S. Fitzhugh, of Washington county.

For Coroner—Gallin C. Westfield, of Washington county.

MAGISTRATES:

Hartford—A. S. Aull.

Rosine—C. L. Woodward.

Cromwell—Jont B. Wilson.

Fordville—Burdell.

CONSTABLE:

Hartford—Hosea Shown.

Rosine—Thomas Allen.

Cromwell—R. B. Martin.

Fordville—Burdell.

It is not sufficient to answer that "our neighbors" decided that question of right between Protection in 1892 and Free Trade 1892, by electing Mr. Cleveland on a Free Trade platform in the latter year. "Our neighbors" answered that question in favor of Protection in 1892 by electing Jackson. So there.

Mr. BLACKBURN in his speech said that the \$9,000,000 appropriated in bounties under the McKinley bill to encourage the production of sugar in the United States was too much to pay for the Louisiana Democrats, who have heads of their own, and especially was it too much he said, while the Democrats could buy negroes so much cheaper in this country. But how much would he be willing to pay those Louisiana Democrats? and what price, pray, has the Democracy set on the negro vote of this country? Shame be upon the sentiment and on him who uttered it.

We learn that Judge Gully, Republican candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, closed a canvass of the ten counties of the 3rd Congressional District at Bowling Green last Saturday night. The Republicans are enthusiastically for him and feel confident of his election. Many voters who are not Republicans are anxious for the election of Judge Gully and are supporting him earnestly and effectually. If the people of this Appellate District desire to elect a man to the high office in question who is able, honest and competent and who will always decide cases squarely and who will never be swayed by rings or cliques, they will vote for Judge Gully.

ALONG with Mr. Blackburn's plan of the "untrammeled voice of the people," might be read the following extract from the recent Associated Press dispatches from Washington, which indicates the financial straits of the National Democratic Congressional Committee.

The dispatch says:

"So serious has the situation become that Chairman Faulkner has determined to raise money, even if extraordinary efforts are resorted to. The assessment plan on Government employees will be worked in the artistic manner that avoids conflict with the civil service law, and the various State organizations in Washington will be reminded that the retention in the Government service for any of their number is conditional only upon the possession of a receipt of money contributed."

The statement comes from good authority that Pension Commissioner Lochren has a list of 50,000 old soldiers whose pensions are to be reduced or stopped altogether within the space of a few weeks. This list, it is asserted, will be held up until after the election to relieve the Democratic party of the stigma of such a wholesale reduction. Just such actions as this are contemplated are in full accord with Democratic sentiment and if these, and thousands of other pensions are not stopped or decreased it will be through fear of consequences and not through any Democratic kind feeling for the old soldier. And in this connection it will be interesting to note that several old soldiers in this county in last few weeks have received notices of proposed reductions in their pensions.

It is useless for our English contemporary to kick against the pricks. It is not the fashion this year for Democratic speakers to have large crowds and he need not lay the blame at the door of Republicans. The people this year go to hear Republican not Democratic speeches as a comparison of the crowds to hear

Mr. Lewis and Messrs. Montgomery and Blackburn abundantly prove.

The former gentleman was greeted with hundreds of hearers at his four appointments in the county, while the crowds to hear the latter gentlemen even here in Hartford, were severe disappointments. At one of Mr. Montgomery's appointments in the county we understand he had less than twenty listeners, and at one of the country towns in which he spoke only one country Democrat came to hear him.

We cast back then into the face of him who wrote it the slanderous libel against Republicans and denounce the charge of cowardice as a pretense and a fraud to cover the sting inflicted by the people irrespective of party, by giving to Jo. C. S. Blackburn the smallest crowd ever addressed by a speaker of national reputation within the limits of the county. Don't curse the Republicans. Curse your Democratic Administration.

We noticed last week the various positions the Democratic party has assumed on the tariff question during the past 60 years. To him who cares to know the history of parties and of questions connected with them, the story is interesting. But to him who pines his face and faith to the coat tail of an inconsistent and shifting party, it brings only rebuke and condemnation. Beginning in 1832 on a platform declaring unequivocally for Protection and closing in 1892 with a statement as unequivocal for Free Trade, the party floundered between these doctrines and these dates in a manner that would rather appeal to one's pity than his condemnation, it within these very flounders had not been wrapped in great measure, the interest of the common country. The record defies the world to equal it in inconsistency. Protection in '32; virtual Free Trade in '40; anything to win in '44; virtual Free Trade '48 to '60; no opinion in '64; incidental Protection in '68; a local issue in '72; begging the question in '76; same, '80; straddle in '84; same in '88, and Free Trade again in '92. Such is the record and in its windings and twistings cannot fail to recall the old rhyme which runs:

"It wriggles in and wriggles out,
And leaves the people in a doubt
As to whether the snake that made
Is going south or coming back."

It may please the Democrats of the modern school to plead for Free Trade and today the constitutional power of the Government to levy a Protective Tariff, but in so doing they read Jefferson, Madison, Monroe and Jackson out of the party. But by the side of the editor of our English contemporary, on the corner, these fathers of the Republic and of Democracy knew nothing of the Constitutional power of the Federal Government and nothing of the "fundamental principles of the Democratic party"—nothing, simply nothing.

This reader can readily call to mind the Snap Convention held at Bowling Green last April, which nominated Judge Reeves for Judge of the Court of Appeals from this district. Neither will it require any severe tax of his memory to bring vividly before his mind the hearty and almost unanimous denunciations of the Democratic pressurized with force, but without effect against Judge Reeves and his combinate for the fraud committed upon this people. There is little room for doubt that Judge Yost would have obtained the nomination had his play been extended him. There is no doubt whatever that he would have carried the united strength of his party in this end of the District before the nominating Convention. But the chicanery of the present nominee rendered Yost's nomination impossible. He and his henchmen received such abuse from his press and party as would have driven a man of less effrontery out of the race, and yet the rank and file of the Democratic party are expected to smother conscience, swallow former denunciations and vote the ticket straight. Has Reeves done anything since his nomination that relieves him of the just censure so bountifully heaped upon him last spring? Was he right in his exuberant tricks and were his friends of Judge Yost wrong in objecting to being defrauded? In view of Reeves' record and the manner of his obtaining his present nomination, what evidence has the people that he will not, if elected, employ like means on the Appellate bench to carry his points and further the interests of corporations, of which he is the friend? No man guilty of the undeniably charges laid at the door of Judge Reeves by the Democratic press is worthy to sit upon the Appellate bench, and have in his doubtful hands the sacred liberties of the people. Let every thinking, conscientious and patriotic Democrat ask himself whether he can afford to endorse this man by his vote and thus set the seal of approval on his methods.

THAT BILL OF PARTICULARS.

THE REPUBLICAN with becoming modesty begs leave to present for the consideration of the public the following "Bill of Particulars" and asks that it be filed and entered of record as a standing condemnation of the Democratic Merry-go-round with its untenable supplies of political buncombe, a free exhibition of unbecoming house at Court Hall:

ITEM No. 1—Mr. Blackburn said that

when Mr. Cleveland took his seat in 1893 as President, the

United States Treasury was so empty that had you dropped a nickel in the slot it would have rattled in its empty loneliness like a bean in a barrel.

Now, the truth is, as shown by the Treasury statements, there was in the Treasury on March 1st, 1893 a cash balance of \$124,128,087.83, and Mr. Cleveland's Secretary of the Treasury gave the outgoing Secretary his receipt covering that amount.

ITEM No. 2—Mr. Blackburn said that the Republican party was the friend and father of trusts and monopolies and that they could exist nowhere but in Protection countries.

The truth is, as Mr. Blackburn well knew, that trusts and monopolies are not limited to countries levying a Protective Tariff. Is not coffee on the Free List and was it not on the Free List, when only a few years ago the coffee trust in this country reaped its millions of dollars through combination? Is not the Standard Oil Company the greatest of all trusts? And is it not controlled by Democrats? Are not the Coal and Sugar Trusts controlled by eminent Democrats, who make large contributions to the Democratic campaign fund? Do not trusts exist in Free Trade England to-day and have they not existed there for years? The merest tyro in political affairs knows full well the truthfulness of these queries. And no man of ordinary intelligence who reads will assert otherwise save he desires to misrepresent the facts. Here is the evidence of English authorities, which no Democrat can deny. The London Iron Trade Circular says: "The largest amalgamation of business firms which has ever taken place has been accomplished. * * * There are eighteen colliery manufacturers in England, Scotland and Ireland and the whole of these have joined together in one large company." What! A colliery trust, and that too, in Free Trade England. The London Times the greatest paper in all England says: "The public are continually hearing of the doing of syndicates and other associations, which, like a bundle of sticks, are powerful through combination." The London Iron and Steel Trade Journal says: "The practice of combination to maintain prices in certain branches of the English iron trade is extending. In Birmingham district the makers of carriage, cart and wagon axles recently united for the purpose of establishing an advance of twenty per cent, and so far the alliance has succeeded in upholding the high rates." But it is useless to multiply authorities to prove what every well-informed citizen already knows to be true.

ITEM No. 3—Mr. Blackburn boasted that the Democratic is the party of the people, relying upon the free and untrammelled voice of the people as the source of its authority. Now the truth is that the Democratic party believes and practices no such thing. Mr. Cleveland was elected in a campaign in which the office of Secretary of State was given as a bribe for votes in which the Italian mission was promised to Van Allen in consideration of \$850,000 contributed to the campaign fund; and in which the Sugar Trust in consideration of services to be rendered and which have been rendered gave the magnificent sum of \$400,000 in order to help the Democratic party secure this "free and untrammelled voice of the people." Bah!

ITEM No. 4—Mr. Blackburn tried to convey the idea that the Democratic party was with the people in the recent taxing of sugar. Tom L. Johnson, the bright young Democrat of Ohio, who was so electorally sat upon by the recent Brice-Democratic Convention in that State said on the floor of the House while the sugar question was under debate:

"I was about to say that every dog that barks in the streets of the capital knows that the real purpose of imposing this sugar tax is not to give the revenue to the Government, but to revenue to the bootleggers. You can not disguise it from the people, for the people know it already, that the purpose of this sugar tax is to put millions and millions in the pockets of men who are already millionaires by robbing the people."

But the Democratic Congress with eighty majority heeded not the words of the eloquent Tom, but sold out body and soul to the Sugar Trust.

This list of Mr. Blackburn's "misrepresentations" and "buncombes" could be extended indefinitely, but it is only necessary to show to the thousands who were not there its general character, while those few who were there need no reminder of its unreliability.

RUSSELL OFF THE TRACK.

We are in receipt of the following which came by postal card on yesterday's mail and which explains itself:

SONORA, KY., OCT. 17, '94.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—Please send to your readers that I was very much surprised last night to receive a letter from our candidate for Congress, Hon. J. T. Russell, withdrawing from the race. He takes this step on account of poor health, &c., not being able to make a canvass of the District.

M. R. GARDNER, Chairman P. P. 4th, Con. Dist. Ky.

Mr. John H. Barnes, Sr., died at his home near Goshen last Sunday, and was buried Monday at Goshen. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. E. Pate.

ROBIN HOOD

Gives the News from his Country Together with Some Other Items.

HARDINSBURG, KY., Oct. 15, '94.

While the Wilson Tariff bill is not all that could be desired, according to Democratic organs and orators, yet they say, and seem to derive considerable satisfaction in so saying, "that it was a step in the right direction." That is to say, a protective Tariff is the right thing, for the simple reason that they have taken the first opportunity afforded them to pass a measure that is protective in many of its features.

Democratic papers and orators, in general, and the Hartford Herald in particular, are congratulating the Democratic party because it has, as they say, dealt a telling blow to the Sugar Trust. They have, in fact, dealt just the same blow at the Sugar Trust as they have at the Coal Trust and the Iron Trust. That is to say they have dealt it no blow at all.

OLLIE BURCH KILLED.—Mr. Ollie Burch, of this county, living near Mooreville, was killed Sunday morning, October 7th, by a man named Lewis Swink. Mr. Burch had been in the courts of this and Meade counties on several occasions before his death. He was very quarrelsome and was considered dangerous when drinking. The killing occurred on the public highway and no one saw it save the man who committed the murder. Swink has been instructed to keep his mouth shut. The particulars, therefore, can not be learned. This much however is said to be true. Swink was on his way to a neighbor's to trade a rifle and met Burch in the road. Burch, it seems had on a former occasion insulted Swink's wife, and was taken to task for his misdeed. One word brought on another. Burch made some threats and drew his knife, when Swink fired upon and killed him.

HON. CHAS. BLANFORD.—Last Saturday the Hon. Mat O'Doherty, of Louisville, was to have spoken at this place in the interest of the Republican party. The gentleman however failed to put in his appearance, stating in a letter, that he was detained by an important law suit. A large number of representative Republicans were in town to hear him speak and were disappointed. The Hon. Chas. Blanford undertook to supply his place, and he did so acceptably, speaking to a crowded house. Mr. Blanford is a forcible speaker and deals in arguments of the steeple hammer variety. He explained clearly to his audience how the Democrats abused and violated the rules adopted by Mr. Reed, while Speaker of the House, for its government and then adopted those same rules to govern the House over which Mr. Crisp presided. He explained their insincere demagoguery in this particular fully. He clearly established the fact that the Democrats by destroying the reciprocity features of the McKinley bill—had injured our trade with the nations seriously. Altogether Mr. Blanford made a strong speech.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Circuit Court, this term, has been devoid of any interesting cases. The Court docket, while larger than usual, was composed of unimportant cases. The criminal docket was also large and two men were sent to the penitentiary for a number of years. Mr. Cicero Cooney was sent up for four years on a charge of forgery, to which he pleaded guilty. Mr. Holder, of Rockvale, was sentenced for one year on a charge of burglary. A boy named Frazer was given one year in jail for stealing money from Mr. William Wells. The following attorneys from other bars were present at different times during the session, viz: Mr. James Lewis, of Brandenburg; Messrs. David W. Farleigh and Robert Woods, of Louisville; and Mr. E. D. Guffy, of Hartford. The Grand Jury at this session has been very active and has made searching investigations. They returned thirty-six indictments, which is an unusual large number.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The first Quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church South, for the Elizabethtown district, was held at this place last Saturday and Sunday. Saturday morning Dr. Allen, the Presiding Elder, preached an interesting sermon. Saturday evening Rev. G. W. Savage delivered an excellent discourse on "Christian Responsibility." Sunday morning Dr. Allen preached to a large and attentive congregation. His text was: "The Lord is a Law." Sunday evening Rev. Savage again preached in the interest of the Blackbird county Bible Society. At the close of his sermon the Society held a business meeting. Mr. B. F. Beard is President, Mr. V. G. Babbage, Corresponding Secretary and Mr. John P. Haswell, Sr. Treasurer. The report shows that \$50.05 net has been received from collections and books sold. The value of books on hand at the close of the year was \$65.35. The balance to the credit of the Society on the book account at New York is \$54.21. Rev. W. B. Snead of the M. E. Church called in his appointment at this place Sunday and he and his congregation worshipped with the congregation of the M. E. Church South.

MR. W. J. HENDRICK.—Attorney General W. J. Hendrick spoke at the City Hall at this place Monday. Mr. Hendrick's coming was not known until about ten o'clock Monday and his audience was fairly good under the circumstances. But of all the lame efforts we have ever heard, that of Mr.

Hendrick was surely the lamest. He simply gave the people a re-hash of Senator Blackburn's speech here on the 9th. He got off the usual gag about the first being enriched at the expense of the South. He told several humorous anecdotes. But in this respect, and only in this, could his speech be regarded as a success. His audience was composed almost entirely of line Democrats and will result in no good whatever as far as Democratic interests in this county are concerned. He probably gained some favor with his party, and that was in all probability his only intention, as we understand he is a candidate for re-election to the office which he now holds.

ROMAN HOON.

Getting Ready to March.

After the regular business of Preston Morton Post, No. 4, Department of Kentucky, was finished, at our last meeting, the next G. A. R. Encampment to be held in Louisville, Ky., in September, 1895, was discussed. We decided to have regular uniforms made for each member of our Post, so we shall all be ready to go to the Encampment. Each comrade is requested to get as many soldiers as he can to join the order. We now number 54 members in good standing. As none but G. A. R. men can be in the march, it would be well for all old soldiers not belonging to a Post to join the Preston Morton Post, No. 4.

We hope to muster 200 in line from Ohio county. It was grand to see 2500 march through the city of Pittsburgh at the last Encampment, in the presence of at least 200,000 visitors. Let's show the world next September that Kentucky is still alive and just what kind of material we are made of. The citizens of Louisville are doing all in their power to make it the grandest turnout ever seen in that city, and now it is the duty of every old soldier to take a hand in the work and help make it a success.

THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN and Herald have volunteered to do all they can in their line to help us. There are many men now drawing pensions who never come nears or ever think of the welfare of the poor soldiers, widows and orphans. Since our Post came in to existence we have spent \$500.00 for different causes of charity. A great many say or think it costs too much to belong to the Post, and to these we want to say the cost is very small—not over \$3.00 per year. All we want is to build up a name of charity to all. You have a right to give and help the poor as well as to receive your pensions from the Government. A true Union or Confederate soldier doesn't feel ashamed to fall in line with his old comrades, as each thought his cause right and just at the time of the trouble. Both names will stand in history as brave men as long as the world stands. It is the outside labor of all good things that always raises the disturbance between the brave men. As for politics it has nothing to do with our order, and we would be pleased to hear from some outside comrade on next Encampment.

A COMRADE.

Now that the great majority of the world is at home once more from its summer outing, it is just as well to say a word or two that may help to make some father's life more pleasant to the children. There are far too many men abroad who he provides for wife and who are regarded almost as strangers in their homes and who themselves feel that they are unrelieved, or, at least, that their presence is a restraining rather than an enlivening influence. This sentiment often drives him out to a club or causes him to seek the seclusion of one of the unused rooms in the house where his family never intrudes. Little by little he loses ground until he finds that his only use is to sign checks unhesitatingly. Now this is all wrong. A father's heart yearns for affection just as strongly as the mother's. He would appreciate being made a companion to the children. 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A Light Wrap.

Something that will just keep the chill off, when you are riding or walking. You don't feel like putting on heavy winter garments, but you do need a light wrap.

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You might as well think of going without a hat as to wear one and have it spotted and spoiled by the fall rains. You need an umbrella, something neat and yet inexpensive.

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Several of our people attended the Greenville Fair last week.

Indigo blue, oil red, silver gray and all kinds of prints, 5 cents, at Fair Bros. & Co's.

Mrs. Matilda Kimbley, of near Beaver Dam, died last Saturday and was buried Sunday in the Beaver Cemetery. She was a highly respected lady and will be greatly missed in her community. Dr. J. S. Coleman conducted the funeral services.

Eld. S. F. Fowler, of the Christian Church, is doing some excellent preaching at the Methodist Church. He is greeted every night with a crowded house, and his sermons are clear, logical and entertaining. Bro. Fowler is a great preacher, laboring for a great cause.

Dr. J. R. Little left Monday for Nashville, where he will attend Vanderbilt University for the next five months. Dr. Little is a young man of much ability and as a dentist has met with great success. He will graduate the first of March, 1895, and will return to Hartford to resume the practice of his profession. His many friends here will gladly welcome him back again, and all join in wishing him a pleasant time at school.

New Suits for Circuit Court. The suits recently filed in Circuit Court are as follows:

T. H. Balmann sues Robert Plummer for \$125 damages for a horse killed by eating wheat.

John A. Reitz & Son sue E. C. Crowe et al. for \$115 in notes.

Same vs. W. F. & E. D. Tatum for \$203, and enforcement of mortgage lien.

Same vs. E. C. Crowe and wife for \$100 and for enforcement of lien.

Jesse D. Crowe et al., Executors, sue M. E. Crowe for division of land.

Robert Reddish sues James Gray for \$63.21.

F. W. Pirtle sues W. A. Gray on a note for \$100.

John H. Miller suit and injunction against Hiram R. Kirk, Treasurer District No. 37, to restrain him from collecting tax.

Maddox & Leach sue John Echols et al., Receivers, for killing a horse.

J. T. Tucker et al. sue Sam J. Baker for \$300 damages arising on injunction and breach of contract.

Frank Campfield sues W. P. Graves et al. on note for \$206.65.

M. S. Ragland sues Ansel Wilson on a note for \$368.21.

B. D. Ringo sues J. M. Casabier et al. on a note for \$500.

Nancy Jones vs. J. S. Dexter, Administrator of Benjamin Dexter for \$464 on account.

Report of the Ohio County Teachers' Association.

Ohio County Teachers' Association met in College Hall, Saturday Oct. 13, 1894. Our Superintendent being absent, Prof. O. M. Shultz very ably presided over the meeting.

The first business attended to was the election of a Secretary, then the program was rendered.

The first to respond was Prof. Wm. Foster, who gave a very interesting talk on the "Signs of the Times." He gave some good points for teachers, among which was the necessity of a thorough preparation for the work, and said that education is now within the reach of all and those who did not grasp the opportunities that we have for preparing for life will have to take a seat in the back ground.

Next on duty were Messrs. Stum, Tinsley and O. M. Shultz, with the subject of Theory and Practice. Mr. Shultz being the only one present he didn't feel like handling such an important subject without assistance, but none being given, he proceeded with the subject and told us that what a teacher needs is a practical theory and that the mere theorizing may "git" along for a while, but will finally be crowded out by better teachers. Mr. Stogner then volunteered to talk on the same subject, but if he touched the subject at all we failed to note it. He merely compared the country teacher to the teacher in the high school.

Prof. E. R. Ray gave a good illustration of Arithmetical signs, followed by discussions by the teachers.

All being very hungry, protracted dinner to the further discussion of the program, so at 12:15 the House adjourned to meet at 2 o'clock.

At two o'clock the house was called to order by Chairman Shultz and the work was resumed.

The subject, "Are we professionally qualified," was discussed by Messrs. Stum and Ray, and Miss Gibson gave her reasons for teaching, also some of the others gave their reasons for teaching.

"What have I accomplished in School Grading?" was discussed in general by the teachers present. Some cross grade while others do not.

R. A. London and C. H. Ellis were appointed to assist the Superintendent in making out a program for the next meeting.

At 4 o'clock the last present adjourned to meet at Beaver Dam, on the third Saturday in December.

O. M. SHULTZ, Pres.

SALLIE QUISSENBERRY, Sec'y.

Obituary.

Tuesday night, October 9th, 1894, as the hours passed swiftly by, the weary waiters around the bedside of a dear, loved one, at Leitchfield, Ky, Mrs. Fannie Davis, wife of Samuel Davis, daughter of E. F. and S. E. Hocker, aged 26 years, 4 months and 22 days, breathed her last. She was a member of the Christian church, and lived a christian life. Her death had been looked for almost hourly for many months before the time came. She had been a sufferer of that dread disease, consumption, for a long

time; and when the end came it was relief to her father and mother's sisters and brothers and friends to think she had no more sufferings to bear. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. B. A. Cundiff, of the M. E. Church, South, at 3 p. m. on Wednesday, and all that was mortal of Mrs. Fannie Davis, was followed to the Barton cemetery, where it was gently laid to rest to await the judgment day. She leaves three little boys to mourn her loss.

"We miss thy kind and willing hand, The fond and earnest care; Ours is dark without thee; We miss thee everywhere."

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Report of the Ohio County Teachers' Association.

Are the good qualities possessed by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Above all it purifies the blood, thus strengthening the nerve; it regulates the digestive organs, invigorates the kidneys and liver, tones and builds up the entire system, cures Scrofula, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, and Rheumatism. Get Hood's and only Hood's.

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HIS AMERICAN WIFE.

What the English Chancellor of the Exchequer Owe to Her.

Sir William Vernon-Harcourt owes his career as a politician almost entirely to his wife. Lady Harcourt, before she was Lady Harcourt, was a Mrs. Ives, says the New York World. She is an American, the daughter of Prof. John Lathrop Motley, the historian and intimate friend of Prince Bismarck. When Mr. Ives died he left her a fascinating and wealthy widow, and she thereupon invested her handsome self and handsome fortune in the then rising politician Mr. Vernon-Harcourt.

Vernon-Harcourt was always a pompous person and boasted that in his veins ran the blood of the Plantagenets, and that how he made it out it is difficult to say—he had a better title to the crown of England than Queen Victoria.

He was tall, handsome, witty and had that indefinable look of the typical English nobleman, which somehow reminds one always of a well-fed butler.

All these distinguished qualities were too much for Mrs. Ives and she succumbed to his irresistible charms, and then something dreadful happened; something that threatened to spoil the even course of the romance of true love.

It was discovered that Harcourt had a past. A lurid incident in his life was raked up and Mrs. Ives shivered. She did not like to mingle her irreproachable life with that of a man whose future might resemble his past.

There was a struggle between purity of mind and softness of heart and finally, fortunately for Harcourt, the latter gained the day.

Lady Harcourt has made a model statesman's wife. Her devotion to her husband has been marvelous. She has always kept herself in the background and entirely merged her identity in that of her lord and master.

What has endeared her chiefly to English politicians is her wonderful tact as a hostess. Sir William Harcourt is a most trying husband. He is in the habit of bringing people home to dinner. He will ransack the lobbies of the house and come home with a whole troop of hungry politicians, sometimes thirty, sometimes only two. His wife can never know how many. But she keeps an excellent cook and has a marvelous temper. Everybody is invariably well received and the dinners are always good, for Sir William is a gourmand.

These wholesale hospitalities have done much to help Sir William in his career, but they have not succeeded in making him popular, however much they may have added to the popularity of his wife.

Lady Harcourt is the mother of a very amiable young man, who is deservedly a favorite in society for his gentle manners and genuine goodness of heart. His father is extremely proud of him. Unfortunately, the young man is delicate and has been obliged to withdraw from the arduous life of politics.

Chinese Antipathy to the Telegraph.

The two American bicyclers, Allen and Sachtleben, tell in the Century of their meeting with the Chiawman in the heart of the flowery kingdom who electrified them by addressing them in the purest English. "He was one of that party of mandarins' sons which had been sent over to our country some years ago, as an experiment by the Chinese government, to receive a thorough American training. We cannot here give the history of that experiment, as Mr. Woo related it—how they were subsequently accused of cutting off their queues and becoming demoralized, how, in consequence, they were recalled to their native land, and degraded rather than elevated, both by the people and the government, because they were foreign in their sentiments and habits; and how, at last, they gradually began to force recognition through the power of merit alone. He had now been sent out by the government to engineer the extension of the telegraph line from Su-chow to Urumsai, for it was feared by the government that the employment of a foreigner in this capacity would only increase the power for evil which the natives already attributed to this foreign innovation. The similarity in the phrases telegraph pole and dry heaven had inspired the common belief that the line of poles then stretching across the country was responsible for the long-existing drought. In one night several miles of poles were sawed short off, by the secret order of a band of conspirators. After several decorations, the poles were now being restored, and labelled with the word: 'Put up by order of the emperor.'"

Yankess Like "da Banan."

The United States consumed one billion two hundred and eighty-five million bananas last year.

HART COUNTY.

A Grand Ovation is Tendered Mr. Lewis.

McMORRISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 13, '94.

Hon. John W. Lewis opened his campaign in Hart county at this place on the 1st. He was greeted with a demonstration the most significant of all Republican gatherings in Hart county since the days of her birth. The gathering early in the day of thousands of citizens on the streets prevented the appearance of the population of a metropolis. The Court House where the speaking was held, was long before the hour appointed, filled to overflowing with people, anxious to hear the truthful enunciations of the sound doctrines, which the able orator and statesman, so effectively presented. It was a demonstration calculated to inspire the orator, for in addition to the handsome and elaborate decorations, by the ladies of the town and vicinity, there were people to the right of him, people to the left of him, people in front of him, who for two long hours were held spell-bound by the eloquent drippings of the truth, which so nearly concern the prosperity and happiness of every true American citizen, and who at intervals, by their outbursts of enthusiasm clearly indicated that his majority in Hart county is a certainty. At the close of his masterly effort the speaker was showered with bouquets and greetings innumerable, many former Democrats volunteering greetings of success and promises of support.

At Hardyville on the 2d the crowd was not diminished and the enthusiasm was unabated. On the 3d Horse Cave vied with their neighbors in presenting a demonstration, which was a thing of beauty. His last speech in the county was made at Bonnienville on the night of the 3d, though almost impromptu, was responded to by over one thousand enthusiastic citizens, who cheered his sledge hammer blows to the echo. At each and all of his appointments Mr. Lewis gave good reasons for refusing a joint discussion with Mr. Montgomery, which are unanimously accepted by his friends and the better element of his political enemies. With this unprecedented turn of affairs on the part of some of the henchmen of the great Elizabethtown debater, they will have to seek other straws at which to grab in this the greatest time of their emergency. Mr. Lewis left on the 4th for his home in Washington county, leaving behind him hundreds of old friends and scores of new ones, who on the 6th of November, will show their appreciation of his worth by their generous suffrage.

TRINOR.

ST. HERMON.

Oct. 16.—Rev. C. E. Williams filled his appointment here Saturday night and Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. A large crowd was present on Sunday, and a powerful and sympathetic sermon was delivered. Everyone seemed delighted with the manner in which he so earnestly preached the way of salvation. May the blessings of prosperity be with us during this Conference year in my humble prayer.

Mr. J. B. Dodson, and wife, Bell's Run, and Mrs. Elizabeth Ward, of Ballard county, were the guests of Mr. C. V. Ward and family Sunday.

Messrs. J. A. and G. W. Bennett visited the family of Mr. T. W. Bennett, near Prentiss, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Foster and little son, Ney, of Hartford, attended church here Sunday.

Mr. Elbert Carden and family, have returned from a visit in Davies county.

Mr. Commodore Ashley, of Stanley, spent a few days in this community last week.

Rev. Frank Newton will preach at Benlah Church Sunday.

Mr. C. L. Chapman, who has been cropping with Mr. J. W. Sanderfur, has rented the farm of Mr. Will Stevens on Rough River, and will move in a few days. Mr. Stevens has moved to his new house on No Creek, and the house vacated by Mr. Chapman and family will be occupied by Mr. Will Miller and family.

BLONDE.

Notice to Log Men.

I am now ready to buy a limited number of saw logs and will be in Hartford on Monday and Saturday of each week after the 15th inst. and will be glad to meet all who wish to contract. My post-office address is Sulphur Springs, Ohio county, Ky. 1114 Respy W. H. MOORE.

College Happenings.

The golden autumn days have come, impressing us with the truth that the world is ever changing. It is apparent on every hand that all nature which was but a short time ago a paragon of loveliness, is now fast losing its beauty. All the world indicating that the shadows of death are silently but surely creeping over the present year. The frailties of the external world directs our minds to the glories of the intellectual sphere, where from its unmarred bowers, we may pluck bright jewels for an immortal crown.

We are truly proud that our College is represented by some of the most active and energetic students of our land—those that are delving father and further into the realities of life, developing many bright and precious truths. We are daily impressed with the fact that the world is placing a higher standard on education. To-day cultivated mentality is the only transport from the lowly to the great, and we look forward to the

golden dawn of a brighter educational period, when many of my classmates shall be crowned with laurels, which never fade, but bloom in perennial day.

Miss Clara Patterson entertained the school on last Thursday morning with a recitation. Miss Patterson understands well the art of elocution.

Misses Ada and Bee Brown, Centertown, are new students this week.

Misses Mattie Sanderfur, Eva Morton, Stella Thomas, Bertie Nall, and Messrs. R. D. Walker, R. Collins, H. Nall, E. H. Tracy and M. Bean were visitors this week.

Mrs. O. M. Shultz, after several days absence, has resumed her place in the Primary Department.

Miss Bertie Morton, who has been sick, is again in school.

Rev. Fowler, of Madisonville, conducted General Ex Mouday morning.

Rev. Teel, who is assisting in the revival here, conducted our exercises Tuesday morning.

From day to day we have valuable lessons proclaimed from our rostrum. We think it would be hard to find a College equal to ours in this respect.

Prof. Wm. Foster will address the Literary society at No Creek, next Friday night. We would be glad to have our school well represented.

Hon. H. B. Kingsolving, of Mt. Sterling; W. G. Morrow, of Paducah, and L. Robertson, of Ashland, were among the visitors on the square yesterday.—[Frankfort Capital.

HORRID SHIPMATES.

A Vessel That Has Been Invaded by Tarantulas and Scorpions.

Life on board the British steamship Kennet, which arrived at this port in command of Capt. Davis, laden with logwood, is rendered miserable by the invasion of myriads of tarantulas, scorpions and other pestiferous strangers, and it is difficult to keep the sailors from deserting the ship on this account.

These unwelcome visitors found their way on board with a cargo of logwood, which was taken in at Port de Paix, a small settlement in Hayti, and many nights of discomfort have been spent on board the Kennet by both her officers and crew. Tarantulas by the hundreds and numberless scorpions have been killed in the after cabin, and so thickly was this portion of the ship populated by these and other bugs that the officers have been unable to sleep below.

The officers of the Kennet, like all sailors, are afraid of the tarantulas and scorpions, and now that her cargo is being discharged every effort will be made to rid the ship of the plague before she sails from here. Banana-Inden ships frequently bring with their cargoes a few tarantulas, but this ship is fairly alive with them. The only relief the crew of the Kennet had on their voyage north was on the day before sighting the capes, when the cold weather caused their disappearance from the decks.

As the cargo was being discharged it was found to be actually alive with both scorpions and tarantulas. The old sailors on board the Kennet say they will never ship in a logwood-Inden vessel again, and remain now only in the fear that desertion would cause a forfeiture of their wages.—Philadelphia Press.

A Family Carriage.

There are thousands of bicycle riders in Buffalo, fast racers and fancy men, women who do their "century" in a day and many other varieties of the genus bicyclist. But so far as we are aware there is only one man in Buffalo or anywhere else who has successfully converted his bicycle into a family carriage with comfortable seats for five. That is Mr. Henry J. Von Scheidt, with his four boys. On setting out the wheel is steered by the father and Johnny, the youngest, is lifted into his place, then Arthur is established in front of him, and Willie climbs to his place in front of all. The father then takes the saddle and when under slow headway Henry runs after and mounts to his seat behind.

In this way the father and four boys have ridden over five hundred miles this season, visiting Lancaster, Tonawanda, Bellevue and other neighboring towns, where, as in Buffalo's parks and streets, they are always much gazed at and admired. They have never had an accident. The frame which provides the extra seats for the children was built by Mr. Von Scheidt himself; it can be taken off in a minute and a half and replaced in three minutes.—Buffalo Express.

A Bust of Herod the Great.

The Imperial Hermitage at St. Petersburg has just been enriched by a valuable historical and archaeological relic, viz.: The bust of Herod the Great, the ruler of Judea in the days of our Saviour. This bust, says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Dublin Irish Catholic, was discovered some years ago in Palestine by the Russian archimandrite Anthony, the late head of the Russian mission in Jerusalem, and has been pronounced by experts to be genuine and the only one of Herod existing in our times. This valuable treasure has been bequeathed to the Hermitage by the deceased archimandrite.

Her Good Day for Snakes.

A young Baltimore girl, noted for her beauty and gentleness, has come prominently to the front as a snake killer. While on a visit to Baltimore county she was attacked by a large snake in the vicinity of a pond of water. She and her youthful companions were greatly excited, but she succeeded in killing the snake. The disturbance aroused other snakes, and a serpent war of unusual magnitude was the result. After the conflict the reptiles were counted and piled. It was found that in all, little and big, twenty snakes had been killed.—Baltimore Sun.

BEAVER DAM.

Happenings and Personals as Reported by our Regular Correspondent.

Misses Dora E. Gibson and Attie Austin spent Saturday and Sunday in Hartford.

Mrs. Judge John P. Morton and daughters, Misses Berta and Lyda, Hartford, were out Sunday afternoon.

Dr. J. S. Coleman preached the funeral of Mrs. Matilda Kimbley in the Baptist Church Sunday.

Relatives and friends of Mr. John Barnes, Sr., attended the funeral services at Goshen Monday.

Mrs. B. F. Keegan spent last week at her former home in Hopkinsville.

Mr. J. R. O'Bryan and family attended Greenville Fair last week.

Mr. Owen Barber, of Hodgenville, a former merchant of our town, made us a pleasant visit this week.

Messrs. Marvin and Jesse Bean, Henry and Amos Carson spent Sunday in Beaver Dam.

Miss Ella McBeath, Leitchfield, has a nice class in music here and makes two trips weekly.

Miss Fannie Barnes has been quite sick for the past two weeks.

Mr. J. P. McKenney, wife and daughter, and Misses Margaret, Claud and Teenie Hayes attended Church in Hartford Sunday and Tuesday nights.

Miss Cinda Norris, Daviess county, and Mary Smith, Hartford, spent Tuesday night with Mrs. J. H. Nave and daughter.

ATTY.

A Call For Colored Republican League Clubs.

WHEREAS, We see the great necessity of a thorough and better understanding among the colored voters as to how to handle the Australian ballot. Therefore we ought and it is hereby requested of all colored people to meet in Mass Convention and organize League Clubs, by electing a President and Vice President and send delegates to the Colored Republican League Convention which meets in Elizabethtown the first Saturday in November at 10 o'clock. By order of the District President, G. W. Boling.

JAMES QUEN, Sec'y.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

ROBBIE.

Oct. 16.—Mrs. Jennie McHenry, of Hartford, visited Rev. J. W. Taylor last week.

Amille Peggoff, of Louisville, is visiting Mr. R. E. Childs' family.

Mr. Wood Axton was in town this week.

Miss Clara Patterson gave a most excellent "Reading" here last Tuesday evening in the school house and had an appreciative audience; she was the guest of Miss Annie L. Allen.

Prof. Shultz, of Hartford, was expected here last Friday evening to deliver an educational lecture, but on account of inclement weather failed to come.

The first half term of our school has now ended and every one is perfectly delighted with the progress the students have made this term and are enjoying one of the best schools in the county under the management of Prof. Taylor, who is a splendid instructor, earnest worker, and with such earnestness compelled to succeed. The students intend to celebrate Arbor day with an appropriate program and by planting trees in school "Campus." Byron Wedding, won in the spelling contest last Friday evening. Miss Annie L. Allen has charge of the "Elocution" class and is teaching the "leisure" in connection with her elocution and is making quite a success.

Success to The REPUBLICAN and our party.

BITTER SWEET.

Louisville News.

Tickets will be on sale for train No. 8 Oct. 25, to Louisville and return for \$3.10, good to return until train No. 7, Oct. 28. H. MERRICK, Ag't.

The Hartford Photo Car.

A. D. Taylor, the Beaver Dam Photographer, has located his Photo Car in Hartford and will make pictures here every Saturday morning till noon in the Hartford Photo Car. Mr. Taylor will be found at his home gallery in Beaver Dam balance of the time. We are glad to say he ranks up with the ablest Photographers in the State. First-class work guaranteed.

"When beauty comes he takes it; If there is none he makes it."

Notice, Beaver Dam Republicans.

There will be a Republican Club organized at Beaver Dam on Wednesday night, October 23, and at Taylor Mines Thursday night, October 25.

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